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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n): ☒ Utility ☐ Design☒ original patent application,☐ continuation-in-part application

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TITLE: Identifying A Physical Device's Avatar Using A Unique, Substantially Non-Removable Communication Identifier

Enclosed are:

☒ The Declaration and Power of Attorney. ☒ signed ☐ unsigned or partially signed☒ 4 sheets of drawings (one set) ☐ Associate Power of Attorney☐ Form PTO-1449 ☐ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449☐ Priority document(s) ☐ (Other) (fee \$ )

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